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NANOTUBES TO FACILITATE SOLVATION THEREOF, AND USE
OF DERIVATIZED NANOTUBES

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SECOND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action having a mailing date of August 26, 2003 (Paper No. 10), with a three-month shortened statutory period set to expire on November 26, 2003, and extended one month until December 26, 2003 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time and fee filed concurrent herewith.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.